

re application of:

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For: METHOD OF MAKING A HEATING
ELEMENT OF THE MOLYBDENUM
SILICIDE TYPE AND A HEATING
ELEMENT

Group Art Unit 3742

Examiner: S. Ralis

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Dear Sir:

In further compliance with applicants' duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, applicants submit the attached copy of the INTERNATIONAL PRELIMINARY REPORT ON PATENTABILITY that was issued by the International Bureau of WIPO in connection with the international phase of the corresponding international application (PCT/SE03/00379). The enclosed document is based upon the same references as were provided in the INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT previously filed herein.

Respectfully submitted,

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